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E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: OVIP (NARAIN, RAJ)
SUBJECT: REQUEST BY MINISTER OF HELATH RAJ NARAIN FOR COURTEST
CALL ON PRESIDENT CARTER

1. ON AUGUST 17 AN OFFICIAL OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH
CALLED TO SAY THAT THE MINISTER RAJ NARAIN WAS PLANNING
A TRIP TO EUROPE AND THE US. HE INTENDS TO ARRIVE IN
WASHINGTON SEPTEMBER 8 AND WANTS TO ARRANGE A COURTESY
CALL ON THE PRESIDENT SOMETIME BETWEEN THE 8TH AND THE
10TH. WE TOLD HIM THAT WE DID NOT SEE HOW THE
PRESIDENT COULD SEE HIM IN SEPTEMBER AND MENTIONED
PREPARATIONS FOR THE DESAI VISIT AND OTHER HIGH LEVEL
VISITORS. THE OFFICIAL SAID THAT NARAIN WOULD
PROBABLY DROP HIS PLANS TO VISIT WASHINGTON FOR THE TIME
BEING.

2. THIS SAME OFFICIAL CALLED AGAIN AUGUST 18,
TO ASK IF THERE WAS ANY TIME IN SEPTEMBER OR EVEN LATER
THAT THE PRESIDENT COULD SEE NARAIN, HE WOULD ADJUST
HIS SCHEDULE TO FIT THE APPOINTMENT. WE SAID WE WOULD
CHECK.

3. PRESUMING YOU WILL CONCUR, WE PROPOSE TO WAIT A
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FEW DAYS AND GO BACK TO THE MINISTRY WITH A POLITE
REFUSAL. WE WILL SAY WE HAVE CONSULTED WASHINGTON.
WE WOULD MENTION THE PRESIDENT'S BUSY FALL SCHEDULE
AND HIS INABILITY EVEN TO SEE VISITING FOREIGN MINISTERS.
SINCE THE PRESIDENT IS NOT SEEING VAJPAYEE THIS ADDS
WEIGHT TO THE STATEMENT.
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